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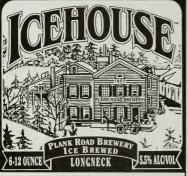
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Artist George Avila Brings the Past Into the Present

Most people who have an avid interest in history are intrigued by what life was like years ago. But longtime Mattapoisett resident George C. Avila doesn't have to wonder - he has immersed himself in some of the proudest moments this area has ever seen through the eyes of those who lived it.

Mr. Avila is truly a man of many parts - a person whose eyes come alive when discussing his passion: interesting tidbits of local history. Having formerly served as director of the New Bedford Glass Museum and a founding member of the New Bedford Glass Society, he contributed a fascinating cache of local lore to the city of his birth. It remains one of his proudest accomplishments among many.

"I set up the first glass exhibit at the New Bedford Whaling Museum in 1968," Mr. Avila said. "Then, we expanded and opened the Glass Museum

in 1976 which closed last year."

His interest in the variety of glass crafts and etchings from the Greater New Bedford area also spawned one of the foremost books on the subject The Pearpoint Glass Story — which was initially published in 1968 and has since sold worldwide.

"I have a picture of Grace Kelly, who had a copy of my book in her library," he noted. "She collected some of the glass pieces that I wrote about."

Although he is widely known for his contributions to New Bedford's past glory including a brief stint at the Whaling Museum - it is Mr. Avila's more recent work in his place of residence for the last 50 years that warrants special attention.

For over a year now he has been busy designing and crafting elegant holiday ornaments and suncatchers etched in thin plated gold for local organizations. These collectible ornaments or suncatchers have become quite a hit with residents in and around the tri-town area, and have served to raise some much-needed funds for non-profit groups.

Mr. Avila explained that he essentially sketches the design for each ornament to scale and it then goes through a process very similar to glass etching to lightly engrave the image onto the round, gold medallion. Though his renditions of such historic landmarks as Mattapoisett's Seahorse, Dartmouth's Old Southworth Library, and Wareham's Tobey Hospital are stunningly accurate

and well-crafted, Mr. Avila quickly denies himself the title of "artist."

"I never went any further than art classes in grade school," said Mr. Avila, who worked as a foreman at Morse Twist and Drill for 38 years. "As a young kid, I would draw animal pictures. I eventually started to sell these drawings to Cherry and Company (later known as Cherry and Webb) and C. F. Wings in New Bedford. I managed to make some extra money to buy clothes for school."

Many of these quaint depictions of animals in human clothing made the rounds throughout the Greater New Bedford area and Mr. Avila's signed drawings have become something of a local commodity. "I still have people who come up to me and tell me that they have a drawing of a pig I did hanging in their house," he said.

Though Mr. Avila later applied his talents to scrimshaw while working at the Whaling Museum both old fashioned and modern — it was his intricate designs for cup plate etchings at the Glass Museum that best transferred to his new ornament-

making specialty.

"It was just a matter of my being in the right place at the right time," he said. "I was first approached (in 1993) to do an ornament for The Friends of the Elderly (in Mattapoisett), of which I'm a member. I designed the Seahorse ornament, which sold very well. It just snowballed after that."

Mr. Avila has graciously volunteered his services for over a dozen ornaments since, all of which have been crafted for a local non-profit group in the hopes of raising money for their efforts.

On the cover: Mattavoisett resident George C. Avila voses outside the Mattapoisett Public Library with the ornament/ suncatcher he designed and fashioned in the historic building's image. All proceeds from the sale of this ornament benefit the library. (Photo by Kenneth I, Souza).

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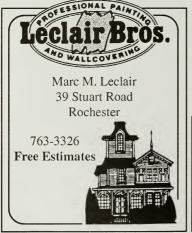
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In addition to the Seahorse, Mr. Avila has crafted ornaments featuring Center School and the Ned's Point Lighthouse prior to 1923 (for Mattapoisett's Friends of the Elderly); Dartmouth's Old Southworth Library (for Dartmouth's Friends of the Elderly); Mattapoisett's Town Hall and Shipvard Park gazebo at Christmas time (for Mattapoisett's Historical Society); St. Anthony's Church in Mattapoisett (for St. Anthony's Women's Guild); Mattapoisett Town Seal (for the Mattapoisett Lions Club); Mattapoisett Congregational Church (for the Congregational Women's Guild); Ned's Point Lighthouse at present (for Animal Umbrella, Inc.); and Tobey Hospital in Wareham (for the Tobey





Hospital Women's Guild).

One of Mr. Avila's more recent contributions is a rendition of Mattapoisett's Free Public Library, which was designed under the auspices of The Friends of the Elderly. Proceeds from the sale of this ornament, however, will go directly to the library for improvements and the acquisition of new titles.

Between the time he spends offering his talents to benefit local groups and actively participating alongside his wife, Dee, in activities with The Friends of the Elderly such as arts and crafts, the program for the deaf, bingo games, the walking group, and SHARE program, one might think that George Avila has little time to devote to anything else.

On the contrary ... his interest in local history continues to grow. He recently completed an impressive book project on Captain Ansel Weeks, the Mattapoisett native who was master carpenter of the whaler Acushnet, the ship aboard which Herman Melville traveled to research his classic, Moby Dick.

Although it was actually Nantucket native Captain Valentine Pease who commanded the ship during the journey, the book - titled The Captain Weeks Story - does touch on the rich history of the Acushnet and the details surrounding Melville's

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adventure and his jumping ship with Toby Green.

Mr. Avila noted that although the area seems to emphasize the importance of whalers like *The Wanderer* and the *Charles W. Morgan*, among scholars, it is the *Acushnet* which remains famous because of Melville's classic novel.

The book also chronicles Captain Weeks' efforts to start the Universalist Church in Mattapoisett and his role in separating the town from what was once Old Rochester. "(Captain Weeks) was born and lived in the Parker house on North Street," he said. "And he lived there for most of his life ... some 50 years."

Mr. Avila even suggested that Herman Melville probably based his archetypical Captain Ahab on Captain Weeks, or an amalgamation of Captain Weeks, Captain Pease, and other he encountered while doing research for the literary classic.

Although there are no formal plans to publish the book on Captain Weeks at the present, such an important piece of local history would surely find a place among Mr. Avila's other accomplishments.

Remarkably, as he prepares to celebrate his 84th birthday next month, Mr. Avila still devotes



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ample time to contributing to his comfortable Mattapoisett community. Besides his many duties with local senior organizations, he still does occasional lectures on select historical topics and waits in the wings to benefit another organization with his talent.

"I don't mind doing things for the community," he said. "If you can do a little something to help out, it makes all the difference."

Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting January 25, 1994 By Bethany Morgan

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, January 25, 1994 at 7:00 pm by Chairman John N. DeCosta. Also present were Selectman Daniel O. Mahoney, Selectman Paul E. Lambalot, and Executive Secretary Carol Adams.

Following the signing of the payrolls, Executive Secretary Carol Adams briefed the board on the status of a computer purchase intended by the Building Department. The computer, an IBM, will be compatible with the current Town Hall equipment and can be purchased a reasonable cost. The board then approved the minutes of the January 16 and January 18 meetings.

Chairman DeCosta then noted meetings scheduled throughout the week, which include:

- Wednesday, January 26 at 7:00 pm Plymouth County Advisory Board regarding the Cranberry Specialty Hospital of Plymouth County.
- Thursday, January 27 at 6:00 pm Interviews will be conducted to review RFP's submitted for reconstruction of North Street.
- January 27, 28 and 29 Massachusetts Municipal Association's Annual Meeting to be held in Boston.

Incoming correspondence for the week included a letter from Thomas Muldoon, President of the Mattapoisett Lions Club, requesting the use of Shipyard Park on July 15, 16 and 17 for the Lions Club's "Harbor Days" festivities. Selectman Mahoney motioned to grant the Lions Club request which was unanimously passed by the board.

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submitted their Division of Local Services "Bulletin," discussing the extension of waivers of net school spending requirements to certain regional school districts. The board stated that it would review this material at a later date.

A memorandum was received from Fire Chief Ronald Scott with regard to Incident Command System Training (ICST) sessions to be held the month of February. Mattapoisett, Acushnet and Fairhaven will be instituting a joint training session. If unable to attend all classes in one town, classes may be made up in the others. Mattapoisett is scheduled to hold sessions on February 4, 11 and 18.

The Massachusetts Audubon Society requested the board approve the posting of signs stating "Terns Nesting -These endangered birds are harmed by any disturbance - keep below high water mark at all times - do not enter area bounded by signs - please no dogs - posted by Massachusetts Audubon Society per order Board of Selectmen."

The sign will be situated on Ram Island where the nesting of federally and state listed terns and piping plovers will soon begin again. The board unanimously moved to grant the request for the sign.

Landfill Inspection Report No. 36 was received from Tighe and Bond.

The Hands Across the River Coalition sent a notice that they will hold a rally on Sunday, January 30 at 2:00 pm at the foot of Sawyer Street in New Bedford.

Executive Secretary Carol Adams reported that two transfers were requested from the Reserve Fund: one from the Veterans' Benefits and another from the Natural Resource Department, Because more veterans have requested funds than in previous years and the department's budget was cut by \$5,000, the Veterans' Administration has requested a transfer of \$5,000. The board approved the request subject to Finance Committee approval. Chairman DeCosta noted that

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Under the budget line for Dog Control, which now includes the disposal of road kill previously handled by the Board of Health, the Natural Resource Department has requested a transfer of \$3,500. These monies will be used to maintain a five hour shift on Saturday and Sunday at a rate of \$7.76 per hour through June. The board approved the request.

Selectman Lambalot then briefed the board on the meeting he had with Harbormaster Steve Mach and Doug Cameron regarding repairs to the wharf boat ramp. Selectman Lambalot noted that the project is at least two years away from completion due to the permitting process and a public hearing that will be held before final designs are made.

Among items under consideration are the extension of the ramp within the water and the location of a float. While designing the plan for repairs and reconstruction. consideration will be made regarding the fish migration, the town's accessibility to and from the bay, and critical time of use. Selectman Lambalot also reported that due to the ice now covering the harbor, nine piles have been moved and or broken by the ice and shifting tides, all of which are not covered under town insurance.

Chairman DeCosta asked Selectman Mahonev to work on a draft article for the Annual Town Meeting warrant regarding the Marion/Mattapoisett/Rochester Housing Coop to defray the town's share of cost and operation of the office. The article, once drafted, will be sent to Marion and

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Rochester for similar consideration. Chairman DeCosta also noted that another representative for the town of Mattapoisett should be sought out to serve on the co-op.

At 7:40 pm, the board voted to enter into Executive Session to discuss ongoing Clerical Union Negotiations. They would leave Executive Session for the sole purpose of adjourning for the evening, as there was no further business to discuss.

Marion Selectmen's Meeting Ianuary 25, 1994

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, January 25, 1994 at 7:00 pm by Chairman James S. Dougall, Also present were Selectman Loretta B. Schaefer, Selectman Albert E. Winters, Executive Secretary Ray E. Pickles, and Secretary Helene Craver.

After approving the minutes of the January 18 meeting and signing the warrants for the week, the board signed and approved a Resolution for Oil Spill Mutual Aid as requested by the Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC). This agreement, which is to be signed by thirteen Greater

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Chairman Dougall noted a request from the Board of Fire Engineers to use the services of Town Counsel regarding construction of the East Marion Fire House. The board unanimously approved the Fire Engineers' request.

Under the Department of Public Works (DPW) report, Superintendent Rob Zora noted that the department did some more spot sanding of roads this past week and the Oakdale Avenue sewer project remains on hold due to inclement weather.

At 7:05 pm, Patricia Farrell of Continental Cablevision came before the board to discuss a proposed plan for a fundraiser to benefit the Music Hall. Ms. Farrell explained that the American Movie Classics station is offering a promotional program during the month of February. The promotion is centered around the screening of a classic movie and easily lends itself to tie in with the Music Hall cause.

Ms. Farrell noted the promotion is called "An Old Time Evening At the Movies," and they have tentatively scheduled Thursday, February 24 to hold the event at the Music Hall. The Marion VFW has already approved the date and Continental Cablevision is working with American Movie Classics to put on the fundraiser. Together they will be responsible for incurring all costs associated with the event, including promotions and the catered reception. American Movie Classics will also provide the grand prize; an evening in Boston for two, including dinner, show and a hotel.

The schedule will include a catered reception from 6:00 to 7:00 pm at the Music Hall, the screening of a classic film (probably a musical) from 7:30 to 10:00 pm, with an 8:30 pm intermission which will include a newsreel, keyboard entertainment, door prizes, popcorn, tonic and a grand prize

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"What we need is your support and a license to serve wine in the Music Hall," Ms. Farrell said.

The board was generally supportive of the idea, but Selectman Schaefer suggested they might want to have it on a Friday night, as the event seemed geared for family attendance. "I think it's a wonderful idea, but you might get more support on a Friday night," she said.

The only other concern the board had was in granting permission to serve alcohol in a town building which is against Town By-Laws. Instead, Chairman Dougall suggested serving hot cider instead. Ms. Farrell agreed to try to reschedule the event for the following evening, Friday, February 25, and would inform the board to confirm that

At 7:15 pm, Richard Murphy and William M. Booth of the Cable Advisory Committee came before the board to discuss the pending contract renewal with Continental Cablevision, "As the current license we have with Continental Cablevision expires in June, it will be incumbent on the Board of Selectmen to determine whether or not to renew the contract," said Mr. Murphy. "Our timetable requires us to have a recommendation to you by May 23 so you will have six weeks to make a final decision on the matter."

Mr. Booth also submitted a summary of the results of a recent mail survey submitted to residents, from which the committee garnered some 500 responses - a 27 percent return rate. "Basically, most cable subscribers consented that Continental Cablevision had provided good service," Mr. Booth said. "Most of the major concerns centered around increased rates, the value they received for their money, and a desire for more stations which were not offered."



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In the meantime, the Cable Advisory Committee has requested that an initial contract proposal from Continental Cablevision be submitted to them by February 18 for their consideration and recommendation to the Board of Selectmen.

"There are still many concerns regarding the potential cost to the consumer and the increase in services and the future connecting of the system to local schools," Mr. Murphy said.

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With three of the four towns which Continental Cablevision serves up for contract renewals this year -Wareham, Marion and Mattapoisett — the company will have to wait and see if they will maintain a local operation if one or more towns decides to pass on their renewal. Under incoming correspondence for the week, Chairman Dougall cited a letter from Police Chief Brian J. Scott

commending Tabor Academy students and Don Wing for assisting the department in re-carpeting the floor in the police station's computer room. On January 17, a water pipe burst in the station, flooding the computer room and causing water damage to the ceiling and floor. Chief Scott wanted to publicly thank Tabor Academy for "being the consummate good neighbors they have always been."

Patricia Farrell, who was still present during the committee's presentation, noted that Continental Cablevision

would surely work to get an initial proposal to them by the

February 18 deadline, although it is a short time in which to

prepare a comprehensive package. "I also wanted to address the matter of the mail survey and mention that is was mostly based on people's written comments, of which there were only 200, or about 10 percent of the total population," she said.

The board also received confirmation of the next Tri-Town Selectmen's Meeting, which will be held on February 23 at 7:15 pm in the Mattapoisett Selectmen's Office.

Dennis F. Luttrell, Executive Director of the BBAC, also sent a request to be placed on the next Annual Town Meeting warrant to fund the organization with an annual donation of \$600 to continue their efforts in and around Buzzards Bay. Selectman Schaefer recommended that the request be forwarded to the Finance Committee for their consideration.

Lt. Gov. Paul Cellucci sent a response to the board regarding their recent support for ending the practice of diverting lottery proceeds throughout the state. Mr. Cellucci noted that he has forward the town's letter to Treasurer Joseph D. Malone for his consideration.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 7:43 pm.





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Rochester Selectmen's Meeting January 24, 1994

A regular meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order on Monday, January 24, 1994 at 7:00 pm by Chairwoman Lorraine Roy Hawkes. Also present were Selectman Michael Murphy and Administrative Secretary Shirley A. Ferreira. Selectman David L. Hughes was not present for the meeting.

After approving the minutes of the January 18 meeting via a majority vote of the board, Chairwoman Hawkes called upon Rep. William Straus to present to him the newly-made Rochester Town Flag - designed by Kathleen Hickey, Selectman Hughes' sister - which is to be hung in the Hall of Flags at the State House in Boston later this year. Rep. Straus noted that a special ceremony would be held sometime at a later date to install all of the new flags in the State House and he would contact the Board of Selectmen so that they might attend.

Before he departed, Chairwoman Hawkes asked Rep. Straus if he had any notion of the direction the Education Reform Act of 1993 might be headed in terms of getting local aid back to the various municipalities throughout the state.

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last year," he agreed. "Gov. (Weld) just submitted his budget package for the next fiscal year and it does include some significant increases in state spending for education." Of course, even without a significant increase in state aid, Rep. Straus pointed out that Rochester should still fair well for fiscal year 1995, as it taxes at a higher rate than most municipalities for education.

Rep. Straus was also asked about the recent questions concerning New Bedford's lack of water conservation in drawing from the area lakes. New Bedford has responded by saying they never reached a depletion level where it would require them to issue a water conservation notice to their residents. But Rochester residents are concerned that the water table level may continue to drop and a valuable resource may very well be depleted before anything can be done about it.

"I don't know a great deal about the agreement that was made, but I do know that New Bedford acquired their water rights many years ago," Rep. Straus said. "I think they may be limited to the amount of water they can draw under a statute, but I'll have to research that."

Chairwoman Hawkes then began reviewing incoming correspondence for the week, starting with a response letter from the Town of Lincoln, RI

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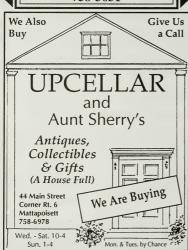
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regarding the Todesca Corporation which is planning to construct an asphalt plant in Rochester. On the request of an abutter, Shelley Visinho, the board asked the Town of Lincoln for an assessment of the company in question.

The town's Director of Public Works, Robert C. Schultz, noted that the company placed an asphalt production facility in Lincoln for three state paving projects. Mr. Schultz noted in the letter that "without exception, (representatives from the Todesca Corporation) have always been forthright with our community and have been very considerate in fulfilling the special conditions we required."

Chairwoman Hawkes asked that a copy of

the letter be sent to Ms. Visinho.

The Rochester Council on Aging sent the board a letter recommending Chris Cook and Harry Brown to fill two vacancies on the board. Chairwoman Hawkes noted that both candidates will be attending next week's meeting in order to be considered for appointment to the COA board.

The Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC) next sent their annual request for \$600 in funding from the town to be placed on the next Annual Town Meeting warrant. This money will be used by the organization to seek further grant revenues on behalf of the BBAC municipalities. Chairwoman Hawkes asked that Ms. Ferreira place the request in the folder for the Annual Town Meeting warrant.

Regional Conservation Agent Laurell J. Farinon next sent a request to the board for the Conservation Commission (ConCom) use of the services of Town Counsel to review amendments they have drawn up to the Rochester Wetlands By-Laws. The board granted the ConCom's request via majority vote.

Ms. Farinon also sent a reply letter to the board upon their request for information regarding the Marantha Nominee Trust property located off Dexter Lane (DEP File #SE 72-59). Ms. Farinon noted that a site inspection was made by the Conservation





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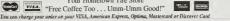
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Commission on August 18, 1993 upon a request filed by Marantha Nominee Trust. The original Notice of Intent filing to rebuild one acre of cranberry bog and construct an additional five acres of cranberry bog was approved by the Rochester ConCom on September 21, 1993.

In regards to an inquiry from the Board of Selectmen concerning the burying of debris in the northwest corner of the subject property, Ms. Farinon said there is no documentation regarding this matter. She assured the board that the ConCom will investigate this matter further and will handle the matter should any violations be reported under the Wetlands Protection Act.

Town Accountant Claudette Coutu also sent notification to the board concerning questions recently raised about the payment of Police Department detail work and the withholding of taxes for said duties. Ms. Coutu noted that the Internal Revenue Service had advised her to continue using W2 forms for these details and not submit 1099 forms.

The board then signed and approved a Statement of Account for Town Accountant Claudette Coutu to allow an excess expenditure for Highway Surveyor Jeff Eldridge to purchase sand, cutting edges for plows, and related snow removal supplies beyond his allocated budget. With only

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\$2,841 left in the Snow Removal Budget and two predicted snow falls for the upcoming week, the account will probably be depleted by next Monday. This approval allows Ms. Coutu to transfer funds for emergency snow removal purposes.

At 7:20 pm, Library Trustee Elizabeth Hathaway came before the board in place of Kelly Hartley to inform the board that the walkway and ramp at the library need to be cleared in the wake of the recent snow and ice conditions.

Chairwoman Hawkes noted that Bill Deacon, a local volunteer, has been in charge of clearing the walkway at the facility. Ms. Hathaway noted that he had in the past, but recently he did not clear the front walkway or entrance behind the building. Chairwoman Hawkes said the board would send a

Dorothy Tuttle of the Friends of the Rochester Elderly next came before the board with fellow members of her organization to ask them if the town had some land they would be willing to

note to Mr. Deacon to clear up this matter.



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Chairwoman Hawkes suggested that a portion of the property on Dexter's Lane might be available, but that property has also been earmarked for several other projects, including a new Fire and/or Police Station and Little League Baseball field.

"We have to leave enough room to think ahead," Chairwoman Hawkes said. "You'll have to come up with a building design before we discuss building it there ... we need to know how many acres, more or less, you'd need for the facility. There are quite a few considerations."

The group agreed to draw up some initial plans for the building and parking area and would come back to the board when they had a better idea

of how much space they'd need.

Civil Defense Director Paul Ciaburri next came before the board to discuss the town's contract with the Greater New Bedford Red Cross. Mr. Ciaburri informed the board that they had to sign a Statement of Understanding with the organization in order to be eligible for local relief services. The emergency services provided will remain the same, but the group now requires a written agreement from the town in order to absorb any liability claims. Mr. Ciaburri also noted that the

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program, but Chairwoman Hawkes said she wanted to hold off on signing this agreement until February 21 when the full board would be in attendance.

Lastly, Mr. Ciaburri wanted to know if it were possible to allocate some funding to purchase and install an emergency generator at Memorial School as it is the town's primary shelter site. As this is not a priority item right now. Chairwoman Hawkes asked that Mr. Ciaburri look into the costs involved in such a purchase and report back to the Finance Committee for next fiscal year.

Fire Chief Joseph H. Clapp next informed the board that the town's new pumper/tanker was being built as they spoke. "The chassis is in and they are attaching the tank to it now in Florida," Chief Clapp said. "It will probably be up here in the next two to three weeks. We should have it up and running in another three or four weeks."

Representatives from the Friends for Fun next came in to turn over to the town the playground equipment purchased in Phase II of the Gifford Memorial Park fund raising drive. "We've got all the equipment in now," said Linda Towers. It's being stored in the barn at the baseball field and will be installed as soon as weather permits."

The total equipment purchased for Phase II of the project cost \$4,471 and includes one challenge

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Chairwoman Hawkes noted that on behalf of the town, she appreciates all the Friends for Fun has done in making improvements at the park. "You've done a great deal for the children of the town," she said. "I'd personally like to thank you on behalf of the residents."

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There being no further matters to come before the board, they adjourned for the evening at 7:56 pm.

Mattapoisett Police Log The following log excerpts are for the week of

January 18 - 25, 1994:

- Acushnet Road medical assist
- · Fairhaven Road larceny by check
- Crooked Bow Path lost and found
- Melissa Anne Lane harrassing phone calls
- Upland Way suspicious activity
- Homestead Court past breaking and entering

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- Marina Drive suspicious activity
- North Street motor vehicle accident
- Mattapoisett Neck Road dead fox in marsh
- Silver Shell Avenue domestic abuse
- Fairhaven Road adult arrest
- · County Road adult arrest.

Rochester Police Log

The following log excerpts are for the week of January 14 - 21, 1994:

- Gifford's Lane suspicious activity
- High Street hurt animal
- Stevens Road annoying phone calls
 Walnut Plain Road
- Walnut Plain Road suspicious activity
- Rochester General Store damaged pole
 Walnut Plain Road motor vehicle complaint
- New Bedford Road officer wanted
- Hartley Road suspicious activity
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- Mill Street motor vehicle theft, past
- · Allen's Point Road breaking and entering, past
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- Marion Harbor officer wanted
- Converse Road officer wanted.

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The Massachusetts Boating Association (MBA), Inc. a non-profit statewide boating organization, will present a slide and lecture show by Larry Mahan of Marstons Mills, titled "One Boy's Dream — Building the Schooner Larinda" on Saturday, February 12 at 1:30 pm. The program will be presented in the Music Hall Auditorium at the corner of Front and Cottage Streets in Marion.

The show will trace this immense project from Larry's boyhood dreams of "a boat able to take him anywhere in the world" and documents the 20-year project of Schooner Larinda that will see her launched later this year on Cape Cod.

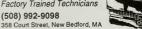
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Schooner Larinda has been hailed as "an immense project that is really fascinating" by Dana Hewson, director of shipbuilding at Mystic Seaport Museum, and has been featured in articles in The National Fisherman and Soundings.

The construction techniques, joining tradition with innovation, have brought world-renown to Larry and his wife, Marlene, as Larry's innovations have prompted the experts to revise some of their assumptions about the economics and methods of recreation and restoration of historically-significant sailing ships. The launching of Larinda will be the subject of a documentary film, but the February 12 MBA-sponsored show will tell the whole story, from

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Sailors and powerboaters, children, students, and adults — whether boaters, builders or history buffs, will marvel at the scale and the challenge (the engine alone weighs 14,000 pounds) of this boatbuilding, ship-powering project. The story of the Schooner Larinda is truly inspirational, and the MBA urges parents and teachers to bring their children and students.

Admission for the event is \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for students, and \$1 for children under 16. All proceeds will be used to help continue the educational work of the Massachusetts Boating Association.

The Machacam Club

The Machacam Club will hold its February meeting on February 2 at the American Legion Hall on Depot Street. Social hour will be at 5:30 pm with dinner service beginning at 6:00 pm.

Our speaker this month will be Charles Dunn. The topic will be the sinking of the "Ocean Rover" by the Confederate Raider "Alabama" in 1862. Over 100 local people were involved in the subsequent claims process which attempted to reimburse them for their losses. Among the notables from town was Charles B. Hammond, a relative of our speaker, whose journals provide much of the information for the presentation.

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St. Gabriel's Church - Marion

St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church in Marion will celebrate Holy Communion in the Chapel at 8:00 am and Morning Prayer in the Church at 10:00 am on Sunday, January 30. At 9:00 am, between the services, the Annual Meeting open to all parishioners will take place in the Parish Hall.

St. Gabriel's Youth Group will hold its meeting at 11:30 am in the Parish Hall and continue to lunch afterwards to welcome their new advisor, associate interim rector Deborah Paulsen. Everyone

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is encouraged to attend in order to meet Debbie and to plan the spring activities with her.

On Sunday, February 6, St. Gabriel's will celebrate Holy Communion at both the 8:00 am Chapel and 10:00 am Church services.

On February 7, St. Gabriel's is honored to host "Candidates Night" for Regions 5 and 6 in the Church and Parish Hall at 6:30 pm. At that time, parishioners from both regions may meet the four people seeking to become Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese of Massachusetts. The person chosen for this position will become the new bishop upon the retirement of Bishop Johnson.

Coalition for Buzzards Bay Annual Meeting

"Revitalizing Our Coasts" is the topic chosen by Peg Brady, keynote speaker at the Annual Meeting of the Coalition for Buzzards Bay, to be held on Saturday, January 29 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm at the Massachusetts Maritime Academy Auditorium. Coalition members and the general public are invited to attend.

Ms. Brady is the recently-appointed Director of Massachusetts Coastal Zone Management, an agency under the Executive Office of Environmental Affairs. Formerly with the Massachusetts Audubon Society, she has for the past two years held the post of Deputy Director of the State's Department of Environmental Protection Wetlands and Waterways Division.

A brief business meeting will be conducted by Board of Directors President Stephen C. Smith, during which new Board members will be elected. A

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brief update on the Coalition's current work will be given by Executive Director Mimi McConnell.

Three individuals and one organization will receive the Coalition's Guardian Award, given for "outstanding service in the stewardship of this magnificent estuary entrusted to our care." Also, certificates of appreciation will be given to approximately 150 volunteers who have participated in 1993 in the Coalition's efforts.

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Breast Cancer Discussion

A Breast Cancer Discussion sponsored by the Women of St. Gabriel's Church in Marion will be held on February 15 at 7:30 pm in the church half on the corner of South Street and Front Street. The guest speaker for the program will be Beverly Baccelli of the Breast Cancer Coalition.

Anyone interested and/or affected by breast cancer, women and men alike, are welcome to attend. The topic includes the history, research and politics of breast cancer. This is a public program, open to all. Please come and join us. Coffee, tea and dessert will be served.

Mattapoisett PTA Meeting

The next scheduled PTA meeting in Mattapoisett will be held on February 1. The meeting will be held in the Center School Cafeteria at 7:00 pm. Please come to a meeting and be part of the activities that are coming up in the spring. If you have not been to a meeting yet this year, please join us this month. The PTA is always anxious to see new faces. Come share coffee and goodies with us.

Rochester COA Special Meeting

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Rep. Straus to Hold Office Hours in Mattapoisett

State House Representative William Straus will hold District Office Hours in the Council on Aging Office at the Mattapoisett Town Hall on Tuesday, February 8 from 7:00 until 8:30 pm. No appointment is necessary.

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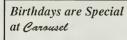
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Old Colony Regional Voke Early Release Day

Old Colony students will be released from school at 12:15 pm on Friday, January 28 because of a staff in-service program. Staff members will be trained in facts about Bloodborne Pathogens. Training will be conducted by WorkMed, a program of Charlton Memorial Hospital in Fall River. Admissions Process

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The annual admissions process is in full swing with guidance department personnel visiting area middle and junior high schools in Acushnet, Carver, Lakeville, Mattapoisett, and Rochester.

Parents and community residents will have an opportunity to visit at the Annual Sunday Open House scheduled for March 6 from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. A "Shadow Program" is also available to eighth graders who would like to experience an entire school day in a particular Old Colony shop. The "Shadow Program" may be arranged in any vocational area through the student's middle or junior high school counselor.

Old Colony will be accepting high school transfers in the spring, for admission in September, 1994. Application forms for enrollment are available at local schools' guidance offices or may be obtained by calling Old Colony at 763-8011. Personal appointments may also be made to discuss various educational options.

Students Selected for Women in Sport Day

William Hebert, Athletic Director for Old Colony, announced that Jennifer Hebert of Rochester and Heather Brassil of Carver have been selected to represent Old Colony at the 1994 celebration of National Girls and Women in Sports Day. The

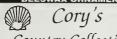
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Parents as Partners Workshop

Parents of students in the Old Colony
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workshop on communication issues in teaching and
discussing sexual health and sexuality. The program,
presented by Health Care of Southeastern
Massachusetts, will be offered at 7:00 pm on
Tuesday, February 8.

'According to Health Care, the goal of the program is to aid parents in becoming their children's primary sexuality educators. The presentation will include relevant child development information, communication skills and the opportunity to examine concerns about contemporary health issues.

A follow-up workshop is planned involving parents and children together in an interactive discussion session.

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Bob Walter will be at the Council on Aging (COA) office to answer any health insurance questions you have on Mondays from 12:00 noon until 2:00 pm. If you would like to make an appointment or just wish to walk in, please feel free. The number is 758-4110.

Clerical Help Needed

The COA has an opening for a clerical substitute to cover the office for illness and vacation time. This is a paid position. Please submit an application to the COA office by February 7. Applications are available at the COA office in Town Hall

Centerpoint Introductory Meeting

An introduction to Centerpoint will be held at St. Gabriel's Church library on Tuesday evening, February 1 at 7:30 pm. The meeting is open to anyone from the Mattapoisett-Marion-Rochester area.

Centerpoint is a means of looking at one's inner, spiritual life and a way of relating to the

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Just a reminder to the parents of students in Mrs. Proctor's and Ms. Teixeira's Kindergarten classes that Monday, January 31 is Kindergarten Switchover Day. On this day, students in Mrs. Proctor and Ms. Teixeira's morning session of Kindergarten will switch to the afternoon session (12:00 noon - 2:45 pm). Likewise, students in Mrs. Proctor's and Ms. Teixeira's afternoon session will switch to the morning session (8:30 am - 11:15 am).

The switchover occurs each year at the halfway point of the school calendar, which will occur on Friday, January 28, 1994. Please be sure to send a note into Mrs. Proctor's or Ms. Teixeira on January 31 to inform them if your child will be going somewhere other than his/her house when they

leave school.

The students in Mrs. Bowman's Kindergarten class will remain in their same session, as was explained earlier in the year, for the remainder of the school year. Early Dismissal

Friday, February 4 is an Early Dismissal Day as teachers will be attending afternoon in-service meetings. On this day, students attending the morning session of Kindergarten will be dismissed at 10:45 am. All other students in Grades 1-3 will be dismissed at 12:20 pm. Lunches will be served, as usual, prior to dismissal for students in Grade 1-3. There will be no afternoon session of Kindergarten. Second Term Report Cards

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Parenting in the '90's

Whenever parents are asked to suggest topics of interest to them in relation to their children, discipline always tops the list. There are literally hundreds of books, videotapes, and programs on the topic. If improving your parenting skills is on your list of New Year's resolutions, a new series now being held may be of interest to you.

Parts two and three of a workshop examining effective parenting techniques will be held on Tuesday, February 1 and Tuesday, February 8 from 7:30 to 9:00 pm in the Sippican School library in Marion. The first part of the session was held on Monday, January 25 and entailed the viewing of a video titled "What To Do Instead."

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include Carolyn's Kinder Korner, The Children's Depot, Little People's College, Project GROW, and Seaside School. Staff from these preschool and child care programs have been planning this series collaboratively in the hopes of providing a high quality resource to families in the tri-town area.

Although parents are encouraged to attend all three sessions, each stands alone and provides valuable information. If either session is cancelled due to snow, a session will be held on the following Tuesday, February 15. For further information, please call 748-1863.

Women's Community Guild

The Women's Community Guild of Mattapoisett will meet on Tuesday, February 1 at 1:00 pm in Revnard Hall. Come welcome Dr. Thomas Forcella, ORR Assistant Superintendent of Schools, who will be the guest speaker for the meeting.

Marion Roberts is the greeter and Helen Durfee will conduct the worship service. Refreshments will be served by Kathleen Acker and

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Estate and Medicaid Law Lecture in Rochester

"Protecting Your Home and Assets" will be the topic of this FREE informational lecture sponsored by the Rochester Council on Aging on Thursday, February 3 between 10:00 am and 12:00 noon. The lecture will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room located at 560 Rounseville Road in Rochester.

Susan E. Dovle, an Estate and Medicaid Planning attorney, will discuss the latest changes in Medicaid law including what options still exist for protecting home and assets, avoiding probate, reducing estate taxes and meeting nursing home

For further information on this event, please contact Lyn DeMoura, Executive Director of the Council on Aging, at 763-8723.

Marion SHARE

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Tri-County Symphonic Band Children's

The Tri-County Symphonic Band will present its annual FREE children's concert at 3:00 pm on Sunday, January 30 in the UMass Dartmouth auditorium. George A. Dietzler will conduct and



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> Art Auction in Mattapoisett The Mattapoisett Lions Club will be

sponsoring an Art Auction in all media on Saturday, February 12 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Fairhaven Road (Route 6) in Mattapoisett. Preview for the event will begin at 6:30 pm, with the formal auction slated for 7:30 pm.

Art in all media and price ranges will be available and will feature works Alaniz, Agam, Neiman, Delacroix, Rockwell, Moses, Boulanger, Wooster Scott, Gorman, and others. All major credit cards will be accepted.

A door prize will be given out and wine and cheese, hors d'oeuvres, cake and coffee will be served. Proceeds from the event will benefit Lions Club charities. For further information or tickets, call Dr. Clayton King at 758-6401.

Sippican Historical Society

The Sippican Historical Society, opposite the General Store in Marion, will open once again in the spring on Saturday and Sunday mornings as soon as the repairs and redecorations are finished. We need volunteers to do this, however. Please call 748-2777 for further information or for an appointment to see the museum.

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If you have any information, please call Joyce

at 748-0355 or Betty at 748-2777.

Blood Pressure Clinics

Blood Pressure Clinics for the month of February will be held on Wednesday, February 9 from 1:00 to 3:00 pm and on Wednesday, February 16 from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Clinics are held at the American Legion Hall on Depot Street and are open to all Mattapoisett residents.

Mattapoisett and Old Rochester Book

If you have reserved a copy of "Mattapoisett and Old Rochester," the new order has arrived and may be picked up at the Mattapoisett Historical Museum, 5 Church Street in Mattapoisett, on Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday mornings between 9:00 am and 12:00 noon. If you have any questions, please call 758-2844.

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Mr. Coleman is an actor, poet, and storyteller who will bring to life the story of Nat Love (a/k/a Deadwood Dick). "I, Nat Love" is a one-man show which brings U.S. History to life through the journeys of this black cowboy, from his slave birth to his walk to freedom. Mr. Coleman will recreate the life of Nat Love through a series of stories based on his autobiography. There is an audience limit to this program, so

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Elisa is a storyteller who will be doing her performance of "We Share a Common Story." This program is a multicultural, participatory storytelling experience. During her performance, she will look at the different aspects of the immigrant experience and help the students to realize that all Americans share common stories.

Mattapoisett Congregational Church Sunday Sermon

We are facing a crisis in our nation and state which will impact upon our region this year. It is a change that can alter the entire character of the way we live our lives, and our expectations for the future. The tragedy of all this is that our government supports an action that is tearing apart the very fabric of our society.

"No Dice" is the title of this week's sermon which will be presented during the 10:00 am Sunday worship service. Please join us. An Oven Invitation

Are you looking for a church which may be right for you? You are invited to attend the Mattapoisett Congregational Church located at 27 Church Street in Mattapoisett any Sunday morning at 10:00 am. An informational meeting about the Congregational Church and the United Church of Christ led by members of the committees of the church and the Council will be held in the church parlor after the 10:00 am morning worship on March 6. This meeting is both for current and potential members.

Those interested in pursuing membership are asked to make an appointment to meet with the minister. A further meeting of the Board of Deacons will be held on March 30. New members will join on Palm Sunday (March 27).

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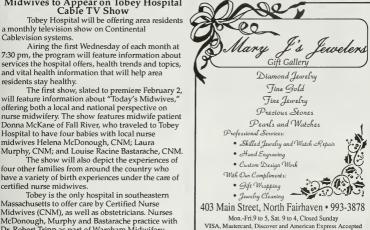
Airing the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30 pm, the program will feature information about services the hospital offers, health trends and topics, and vital health information that will help area

residents stay healthy. The first show, slated to premiere February 2. will feature information about "Today's Midwives," offering both a local and national perspective on nurse midwifery. The show features midwife patient Donna McKane of Fall River, who traveled to Tobey Hospital to have four babies with local nurse midwives Helena McDonough, CNM; Laura

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Men's Fellowship to Hold Valentine's Dinner in Marion

A community Valentine's celebration to honor wives and sweethearts has been scheduled by the Tri-Town Men's Fellowship. The event will be held in the Parish Hall of St. Gabriel's Church in Marion on February 19 beginning at 6:30 pm and will include a full course dinner with wine plus an evening of entertainment including a magician and musical program.

It is not necessary to belong to the Tri-Town Men's Fellowship to attend, but seating is limited and therefore tickets should be obtained without delay by calling 748-1057 (daytime) or 748-2562 (evenings). You can also obtain tickets by sending a \$15 per person check to: Men's Fellowship, Box 157, Marion, MA 02738.

The Tri-Town Men's Fellowship, now in its second decade of providing events for the community, is non-denominational and dedicated only to bringing the men of the Marion area together as in Webster's definition as "a company of equals or friends." The Valentine Dinner and evening is planned so the ladies who share their lives may also join together to share the spirit of St. Valentine on February 19.



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As part of this campaign, the staff will sponsor a story hour at the Joseph H. Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester on Saturday, February 12 at 10:30 am. The theme of the storyhour will be based on the writing and artwork of Eric Carle. The children will be encouraged to create their own "Mixed Up Chameleons," "Very Hungry Caterpillars" and "Grouchy Ladybugs" as part of the presentation.

The program is open to children ages 3 through 6, and advance registration is required. Call the library at 763-8600, or stop by during library hours.

The library will be closed on Monday, February 21, for the President's Day holiday. The library's regular hours are Monday, 4:00 to 8:00 pm; Wednesday, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm; and Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. The library is closed on all major holidays.

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TOWN OF MATTAPOISET CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 1, 1994 @ 7:15 PM in the Town Hall on the Notice of Intent submitted by Howard Martin & Donna M. Ambrosino, 38 Glen Dower Street, Avon, MA 02322. The proposed project is to elevate their dwelling above the flood plain, construct an addition, decks, driveway and associated grading and replace the subsurface sewage disposal system. The project is located at 3 Avenue A and is further identified as Lot 143 on Assessors Map 2A. Daniel Bungert, Chairman Mattapoisett Conservation Commission 1/28

> TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 1, 1994 @ 7:40 PM in the Town Hall on the Notice of Intent submitted by Eric and Janice Morrissette, 185 Harvard Lane, Wrentham, MA 02093. The proposed project is to reconstruct single family dwelling destroyed by Hurricane Bob and replacement of a subsurface sewage disposal system. The project is located at 11 Cove Street and is further identified as Lot 12 on Assessors Map 1.

Daniel Bungert, Chairman Mattapoisett Conservation Commission 1/28

> TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 1, 1994 @ 7:45 PM in the Town Hall on the Notice of Intent submitted by Emery & Barbara Johnson, 130 Main Street, Suite 203, Salem, NH 03079. The proposed project is to reconstruct single family dwelling destroyed by Hurricane Bob and replacement of subsurface sewage disposal system. The project is located at 23 Cove Street and is further identified as Lot 75 on Assessors Map 1.

Daniel J. Bungert, Chairman Mattapoisett Conservation Commission 1/28

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 1, 1994 at 7:55 in the Town Hall on the Notice of Intent submitted by Michael DePierre, Jr. 1480 Fox Hollow Road, Niskayuna, NY 12309. The proposed project is to reconstruct single family dwelling destroyed by Hurricane Bob and replacement of subsurface sewage disposal system. The project is located at 27 Cove Street and is further identified as Lot 24 on Assessors Map 1

Daniel Bungert, Chairman

Mattapoisett Conservation Commission 1/28

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 1, 1994 at 7:50 PM in the Town Hall on the Notice of Intent submitted by Christopher D., Richard J., Jr., and David T. Byrne. The proposed project is to re-build hous destroyed by Hurricane Bob on new elevated foundation suitable for FEMA V-zone and install 2,000-gal, holding tank for sewage disposal. The project is located at 4 Waterman St. and is further identified as Lot 278 on Assessors Map 5A. Daniel Bungert, Chairman

Mattapoisett Conservation Commission 1/28

LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF APPEALS

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of John V. and Sandra A. Wing for a special permit under Section VIII D.5. of Protective By-laws to allow the occupation of a trailer while constructing a home Property is located on Mendell Road, Assessors Plan 34 Lot 1K. Hearing will be conducted in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall on Thursday, February 10, 1994 at 8:00 P.M. Richard D. Cutler, Chairman 1/28, 2/4

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> TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF SELECTMAN

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Monday, February 14, 1994 in the Selectmen's office on the following application for an Earth Removal Permit for the purposes stated therein:

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Town of Mattapoisett Hitching Post Rd. & Upland Way LOCATION: Sewer Exter sion PURPOSE:

TRANSMITTAL NO: 61992

PROPOSED ACTION: Tentative Determination to Issue. The above application(s) and applicable laws, regulations and procedures are available for inspection at the above address.

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On June 17, the group will be taking a day trip to Scituate Harbor and the Historic Barker Tavern for a wonderful dinner show. Barker Tavern is the second oldest structure in the United States and overlooks Scituate Harbor. The Seniors will stop to view the historic Scituate Lighthouse, an inhabited active lighthouse which should make for a great photo opportunity. The "Entertainment at Barker Tavern" has been proclaimed by The Boston Globe as "a professional production with complex dance routines and detailed costume changes." With your choice of a gourmet meal, the trip is \$39 per person.

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LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF ROCHESTER MASSACHUSETTS

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held at

7:00 pm on Monday, February 7, 1994 in the Selectmen's Office on the following application for an Earth Removal Permit for the purposes stated therei Robert Peters, Agent for Mr. Edward Zyskowski, Quaker

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> TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 1, 1994 at 7:50 PM in the Town Hall on the Notice of Intent submitted by Richard & Margaret Sears, 1339 Tucker Road, No. Dartmouth, MA 02747. The proposed project is to reconstruct a single family dwelling destroyed by Hurricane Bob and replacement of the subsurface sewage disposal system. The project is located at 25 Cove Street and is further identified as Lot 76 on Assessors Map 1 Daniel Bungert, Chairman

Mattapoisett Conservation Commission 1/28

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Daniel Bungert, Chairman Mattapoisett Conservation Commission 1/28

Day which will be held at the Old Hammondtown School between 12:00 noon and 1:15 pm. You may register for the next monthly package on that day and also on February 3 between 11:00 am and 1:00 pm at the Congregational Church (use Mechanic Street entrance). Games

Games continue to be held at Village Court every Wednesday from 1:30 to 3:00 pm and a Workshop is held every second Tuesday of the month, also at 1:30 pm. Board Meeting

The Board Meeting of The Friends of the Elderly will take place on February 7 at Village Court. Please note the new time is 3:00 pm.

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Vietnam Veterans Are Needed

Vietnam veterans are needed for a study at the University of California, Irvine, on the effects of the war. Participants will be asked to complete an anonymous and confidential mail questionnaire not associated with VA or any other government agency. Interested vets should write to Roxane Cohen Silver, associate professor, School of Social Ecology, UCI, Irvine, CA 92717, or call (714) 725-2192.

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 Thursday, February 17 — Rochester School Committee, Memorial School, Rochester.

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Dartmouth Bridge Club

Wednesday, January 19 winners were: North-South

First;Bea Strohmeier & Col. E.J. Tomasik Second; Dr. & Mrs. Bertram Howard Third;Lillian Johnson & Jack O'Leary Fourth;Gail Sanchez & Laura McLeod

East-West

First;Eleanor Lamarre & Dennis Brienzo Second; May Vermette & James Harris Third;Marry Terpeny & Barbara Gordon Fourth;Isabel Ford & Helenka Currens Thursday, January 20 winners were:: North-South

First;Bea Wollison & Leona Rosenberg Second;Susan Miguel & Ilse Rothman Third;Lillian Johnson & Zelda Howard Fourth;Helen Linehan & Bob D'Anjou East-West

First;Betty Whayne & Tobie Lechan Second;Eleanor Lamarre & Dennis Brienzo Third;May Vermette & James Harris Fourth;Helen Demello & Jan Morris

Mattapoisett Bridge Club

Friday, January 14 winners were:
First,Rheta Tuttle & Polly Dunham
Second,Barbara Gordon & Helen Demello
Third;Betty Whayne & James Harris
Fourth;Isabel Ford & Elizabeth Robertson
Winners in the evening were;
First;Mark Gallagher & Bob D'Anjou
Second;Barbara Gordon & Pal O'Leary
Third;Betty Morency & Betty Whayne

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 Wednesday, February 2 — Pot Roast with Gravy, Parsley Potatoes, Français Blend Vegetables, Branola

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 Monday, January 31 — Hamburger or cheeseburger, potato puffs, lettuce, tomato, veggie sticks and dessert.

 Tuesday, February 1 — Toasted cheese, ortuna roll, chips, veggie sticks, soup, chips, tossed salad, fruit, dessen,

 Wednesday, February 2 — Spaghetti with meatballs, French bread, green beans, dessert, milk, or hot dog, chips, vegetable.

 Thursday, February 3—Baked chicken, or BBQ chicken strips, mashed potato, peas, roll, applesauce, dessert, milk.

 Friday, February 4 — Pizza, soup, salad, dessert, milk.

Peanut butter and jelly is offered as an alternate every day.

Old Hammondtown School • Friday, January 28 — Pizza, or seafood salad pocket, soup, salad, dessert, milk. • Monday, January 31 — Hamburger or cheeseburger, potato puffs, lettuce, to-

mato, veggie sticks and dessert.

• Tuesday, February 1 — Toasted cheese, or tuna roll, chips, veggie sticks,

soup, chips, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

 Wednesday, February 2 — Spaghetti with meatballs, Frenchbread, green beans, dessert, milk, or hot dog, chips, vegetable.
 Thursday, February 3 — Baked chicken, or BBQ chicken strips, mashed potato,

or BBQ chicken strips, mashed potato, peas, roll, applesauce, dessert, milk. • Friday, February 4— Pizza, soup, salad, dessert, milk.

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Memorial School

 Friday, January 28 — Pizza, or seafood salad pocket, soup, salad, dessert, milk.
 Monday, January 31 — Hamburger or cheeseburger, potato puffs, lettuce, tomato, veggie sticks and dessert.

 Tuesday, February 1 — Toasted cheese, or tuna roll, chips, veggie sticks, soup, chips, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

 Wednesday, February 2 — Spaghetii with meatballs, Frenchbread, green beans, dessert, milk, or hot dog, chips, vegetable.
 Thursday, February 3 — Baked chicken, or BBQ chicken strips, mashed potato, peas, roll, applesauce, dessert, milk.

 Friday, February 4— Pizza, soup, salad, dessert, milk. Peanut butter and jelly is offered as an alternate every day.

Sippican School

 Friday, January 28 — Pizza, or seafood salad pocket, soup, salad, dessert, milk.
 Monday, January 31 — Hamburger or cheeseburger, potato puffs, lettuce, tomato, veggie sticks and dessert.

 Tuesday, February 1 — Toasted cheese, or tuna roll, chips, veggie sticks, soup, chips, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

 Wednesday, February 2 — Spaghetti with meatballs, French bread, greenbeans, dessert, milk, or hot dog, chips, vegetable.
 Thursday, February 3 — Baked chicken, or BBQ chicken strips, mashed potato, peas, roll, applesauce, dessert, milk.
 Friday. February 4 — Pizza, soup, salad.

dessert, milk. Peanut butter and jelly is offered as an alternate every day.

ORR Junior High School

 Friday, January 28 — Baked chicken, or BBQ ribs, rice, peas, roll, applesauce, dessert, juice or milk.
 Monday, January 31 — Pastrami with

cheese, or chicken patty, chips, pickles, corn, carrot sticks, dessert, juice or milk.

**Tuesday, February 1 — Chicken rice soup, spaghetti or Steak'Ums, garlic bread, green beans, dessert, juice or milk.

**Wednesday. February 2 — Hot doos or

chicken fritters, baked beans, cole slaw, pickles, dessert, juice or milk.

Thursday. February 3 — Vegetable

soup, baked chicken, or ham and cheese croissants, rice, carrots, roll, dessert, juice or milk.

• Friday, February 4— (Half Day) Eggs,

 Friday, February 4 — (Half Day) Eggs, bacon or sausage, home fries, fruit, juice or milk.

ORR High School

 Friday, January 28 — Bakedchicken, or BBQ ribs, rice, peas, roll, applesauce, dessert, juice or milk.

 Monday, January 31 — Pastrami with cheese, or chicken patry, chips, pickles, corn, carrot sticks, dessert, juice or milk.
 Tuesday, February 1 — Chicken rice soup, spaghetti or Steak'Ums, garlic bread, green beans, dessert, juice or milk.

 Wednesday, February 2 — Hot dogs or chicken fritters, baked beans, cole slaw, pickles, dessert, juice or milk.

 Thursday, February 3 — Vegetable soup, baked chicken, or ham and cheese croissants, rice, carrots, roll, dessert, juice or milk.

 Friday, February 4 — (Half Day) Eggs, bacon or sausage, home fries, fruit, juice or milk.

Old Colony Regional Voke

 Friday, January 28—Tomato macaroni soup, grilled cheese, or peanut butter and fluff, potato chips, mixed vegetables, chocolate chip cookie.

 Monday, January 31—Chicken gumbo burger, or bacon burger, potato chips, green beans, frosted cake, choice of milk.

 Tuesday, February 1 — Orange juice, meatball sub with buttered rice, peas, cheese wedge, chilled fruit, choice of milk.
 Wednesday, February 2 — BBQ

chicken, French fries, cranberry sauce, corn, rolls, apple or chocolate chip bar, choice of milk.

 Thursday, February 3 — EARLY RE-LEASE DAY (no lunch served).

 Friday, February 4 — Tomato macaroni soup, pepperoni pizza, potato puffs, carrots, assorted dessert, choice of milk.
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Sunrise and Sunset

Date	Day of Week	Rises a.m.	Sets p.m.	Length of Day h.:m.
January 28:	Fri.	7:02	4:53	9:51
January 29:	Sat.	7:01	4:54	9:53
January 30:	Sun.	7:06	4:56	9:56
January 31:	Mon.	6:59	4:57	9:58
February 1:	Tues.	6:58	4:58	10:00
February 2:	Wed.	6:57	4:59	10:02
February 3:	Thur.	6:56	5:01	10:05
February 4:	Fri.	6:55	5:02	10:07
February 5:	Sat.	6:54	5:03	10:09
February 6:	Sun.	6:52	5:05	10:13

Phases of the Moon

({	Last Quarter	February 3rd	3:07an
	New Moon	February 10th	9:31an
3	First Quarter	February 18th	12:49 pn
¥	Full Moon	February 25th	8:16 pn
	First Quarter	February 18th	12:49 p

Upcoming Astronomical Events

Full Moon

January 27 will be the Full Wolf Moon February 25 will be the Full Snow Moon March 27 will be the Full Worm Moon April 25 will be the Full Pink Moon

Local Tides

		High		Low	
Date	Day	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
January 28:	Fri.	8:16	8:38	1:28	2:00
January 29:	Sat.	9:01	9:25	2:15	2:42
January 30:	Sun.	9:47	10:13	3:02	3:25
January 31:	Mon.	10:37	11:05	3:51	4:11
February 1:	Tues.	11:29		4:43	5:00
February 2:	Wed.	12:01	12:27	5:41	5:54
February 3:	Thur.	1:01	1:29	6:47	6:57
February 4:	Fri.	2:05	2:34	8:07	8:10
February 5:	Sat.	3:10	3:38	9:36	9:32
February 6:	Sun.	4:11	4:37	10:49	10:45



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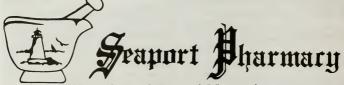
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